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1st Class	2d Class
8 10 14 16	8 10 14 16
CORRY.	A. M. A. P. M. A. M.
Spartanburg.	8:10 12:15 6:00 8:30
Centerville.	8:45 12:17 7:00
Hedetown.	7:30 12:45 7:00
TITUSVILLE.	7:30 12:45 7:00
Miller Farm.	7:55 1:15 8:15
Pioner.	8:00 1:20 8:25
PETCENTRE.	8:14 1:40 8:35
Columbus.	8:21 1:45 8:45
Titusville.	8:36 1:50 8:50
OIL CITY.	8:53 2:15 9:30
Oilopolis.	9:10 2:30 9:45
Tononta.	10:07 3:15 10:00
TIDIOUITE.	10:14 3:45 10:15
Irvinton.	10:30 4:15
NORTHWARD TRAIN.	
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Oilopolis.	9:40 2:17 10:00 10:40
OIL CITY.	10:14 3:15 10:45 11:15
Houseville.	10:30 3:45 10:45 11:15
Farm.	11:45 4:15 11:45 12:15
Gould.	12:45 5:15 12:45 13:15
PET. CENTR.	1:45 6:00 12:45 13:15
Colton.	2:45 7:00 13:15 14:15
Pioneer.	3:45 8:00 14:15 15:15
Miller Farm.	4:45 9:00 15:15 16:15
TITUSVILLE.	5:45 10:00 16:15 17:15
Hedetown.	6:45 11:00 17:15 18:15
Centerville.	7:45 12:00 18:15 19:15
Spartanburg.	8:45 13:00 19:15 20:15
CORRY.	9:45 14:00 20:15 21:15
* Returns to begin City and Oil City.	
Freight Train 12:00 m., arrives at Titusville at 2:05 p. m., and arrives at Corry at 4:20.	

Something for the Tax-Payers of Venango County to Look Into.

The only thing we wonder at is that Titusville was not made a county seat at least seven years ago. Heretofore are so indisputable that we cannot help feeling they must have been very poorly or treacherously managed in the Legislature. Have calls been made at each session for "money to put the bill through?" If so, the "new county" may have proved too productive of legislative revenue to be promptly established. When the bill is passed, no more subsidies can be procured to "work it through the committee." A little inquiry into this point might be productive of interesting information.—*Erie Gazette*.

Yes, a "little inquiry" is just what is demanded. We aver that the only money used at Harrisburg to influence New County legislation, has been taken from the treasury of Venango county, and has been used to defeat the bill. Not a dollar has ever been spent in the Legislature by the friends of the New County, but year after year the taxpayers of Venango county have been defrauded in this manner. It will not answer for the Franklin papers to deny this, for the financial records of the county show it. The Commissioners of Venango county have no more right to use the people's taxes to aid or defeat public legislation than they have to put their hands in the county treasury and transfer thousands of dollars to their own pockets.

How long will the tax-payers of Plum, Allegheny and Oil Creek townships submit to this unparalleled outrage? How long will they permit the exorbitant taxes which are now being wrung from them nominally to pay for the new court house at Franklin, to be wrongfully appropriated towards defeating the very legislation which the tax-payers of these townships have been vainly petitioning for so many years?

This matter should at once be brought to the attention of the courts. We affirm that the financial books of the county will sustain our accusations, notwithstanding the bungling attempts to conceal the object of these appropriations under the guise of *Incidentals*. And we would "incidentally" remark, in conclusion, that this sort of "malfeasance in office" is a penitentiary offence, and if this investigation is prosecuted we had better "stand under."

RUNAWAYS.—A frightful and damaging runaway occurred on Franklin street yesterday afternoon. A span of black horses attached to a lumber wagon, took flight from the hand music of Mr. Zee, near the corner of Main street, and became uncontrollable running frantically towards Spring street. In front of the Fletcher block they collided with a double hot team and box wagon, belonging to G. S. Berry; both vehicles were capsized and the occupants thrown out violently. The runaway team then broke loose and turned into 1st Spring street, and were soon after captured. Nobody was seriously hurt. The runaway team belonged to Wm. Brett. Thomas Buckley, who was riding with him, was severely injured by his fall. A lad named Fred Allen, employed in the Long Roll office, was thrown from the other wagon, and was very badly bruised by the collision.

Another runaway occurred on Spring street, about the same time, near the Second National Bank. A horse hitched to a buggy containing two men, turned abruptly into Washington street, and ran furiously a short distance. One of the occupants of the buggy was thrown over the dashboard upon the animal's back and, grasping the bridle, succeeded in bringing him to a halt.

Mr. McGrum, seconded by Mr. Keown, moved that the Street Committee be instructed to enquire in relation to the possession taken by the city last spring of land of J. H. Hurst for the purpose of widening Breed street. Adopted.

Mr. Blos, seconded by Mr. Keown, moved that the City Attorney be instructed to notify Mr. Wakefield to remove the body of the horse buried by him on his lot, Third Ward, east side Washington street, forthwith. Adopted.

Mr. McGrum, seconded by Mr. Brown, moved that a committee be appointed by the President of the Council to revise the Collector's Duplicate and report as to amount of exonerations on sume.

The motion was adopted and the President appointed the Finance Committee to act as such committee.

On motion, adjourned to meet Wednesday evening Feb. 10.

GEO. A. CHASE, City Clerk.

School Board Meeting.

MONDAY EVENING, JAN. 31.

PRESENT.—Messrs. Bishop, Potter, Fowler, Henderson, Brown and Young.

ABSENT.—Messrs. Butts and Rice.

Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

Bill of Mr. Dutton for freight and drayage of readings, \$2.75, was presented.

Mr. Brown moved an order be drawn for the amount in favor of Mr. Dutton. Carried.

Bill of J. J. McGrum, \$10.25, for door-mats was presented.

Dr. Young moved an order be drawn for the amount in favor of J. J. McGrum. Carried.

Bill of J. Dods, \$12, for six door-springs was presented.

Mr. Fowler moved the bill be referred to the Finance Committee. Carried.

The Finance Committee reported the bill correct, and Mr. Henderson moved an order be drawn for the amount in favor of Prof. Bosley. Carried.

Bill of J. Birdsall, \$3.98, for brooms, was presented.

Mr. Potter moved an order be drawn for the amount in favor of Mr. Birdsall. Carried.

Monthly report of Prof. Bosley was received and read.

No. of Room. Whole No attending Jan. Boys. Girls. Total.

1 " " " 31 31 62

2 " " " 31 29 60

3 " " " 41 38 79

4 " " " 30 37 67

5 " " " 21 42 63

6 " " " 32 33 65

7 " " " 32 17 49

8 " " " 30 31 61

9 " " " 48 50 98

10 " " " 33 40 73

Total. 345 383 728

No. of Room. Avg' attending January Boys. Girls. Total.

1 " " " 31 43 75

2 " " " 30 20 50

3 " " " 32 27 59

4 " " " 21 38 59

5 " " " 23 16 40

6 " " " 30 46 76

7 " " " 30 29 59

8 " " " 42 21 63

9 " " " 20 37 60

Total. 344 310 654

Mr. Brown moved the report be accepted and placed on file. Carried.

Dr. Young moved an order be drawn for one month's salary (January) for the teachers. Carried.

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Mr. Henderson moved to adjourn for one week. Carried.

TUES. J. YOUNG, Sec'y.

THE NEW COURT HOUSE.—At the recent trial of Senator Lowry he said:

"There is not a word of truth in the statement that Senator Lowry owns any real estate in this city, yet Senator Allen asserts it and sticks to it, and the lie is going the rounds of the papers."

The Franklin Citizen copies this paragraph with the following elegant drollerie:

"The above is a willful and malicious lie, or a statement based on ignorance. We know, however, that this is a lie, and that Senator Allen has not made any such statements."

But a little further on, in the next editorial column, we find this candid confession:

"Senator Allen boldly asserted on the floor of the Senate that Lowry had a personal interest in the creation of the new county."

And the Citizen characterizes this as one of the "wilful and malicious lies" it "slightly proves the truth of our allegations and the falsity of its own!" What a newspaper! What a citizen! Hudibras tells us of a gun or pistol which "whether sharp or dull, ploughs its owner over."

Replied and Richard is owner over."

The new county bill passed the Senate by a vote of 16 to 13. It is passed before the House, and we hope to see it passed there, as it ought to have been long ago in justice to Titusville and vicinity.—*Erie Gazette*.

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